

IC 21-43-7

Chapter 7. High School Fast Track to College Program; Vincennes University

IC 21-43-7-1

Establishment of program allowed

Sec. 1. The board of trustees of Vincennes University may establish a high school fast track to college program that offers qualified individuals an opportunity to earn a high school diploma while earning credits for a certificate program or an associate's degree.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.

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Eligibility

Sec. 2. To be eligible to earn a high school diploma, an individual must be either:

- (1) at least nineteen (19) years of age and not enrolled in a high school; or
- (2) at least seventeen (17) years of age and have consent from the high school the individual attended most recently. The school corporation in which an individual described in this subdivision has legal settlement shall pay the individual's tuition for high school level courses taken at Vincennes University during each year the individual is included in the school corporation's ADM.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.

IC 21-43-7-3

Requirements to receive high school diploma

Sec. 3. To complete the requirements for a high school diploma, the individual must:

- (1) pass:
 - (A) the graduation examination given under IC 20-32-4;
 - (B) an examination for a general educational development diploma;
 - (C) an examination equivalent to the graduation examination:
 - (i) administered by Vincennes University; and
 - (ii) approved by the department of education established by IC 20-19-3-1; or
 - (D) an examination that demonstrates the student is ready for college level work:
 - (i) administered by Vincennes University; and
 - (ii) approved by the department of education; and
- (2) complete the course work necessary to meet:
 - (A) the minimum high school course requirements established by the Indiana state board of education; and
 - (B) the requirements of Vincennes University.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.

IC 21-43-7-4**Transfer of high school credits required**

Sec. 4. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in sections 2 and 3 of this chapter, an individual must have the credits toward graduation that the individual successfully completed in high school transferred to Vincennes University.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.

IC 21-43-7-5**Notice to state board of education of program completion; diploma award**

Sec. 5. Vincennes University shall notify the Indiana state board of education that an individual has successfully completed the requirements of the program. Upon receiving the notification, the Indiana state board of education shall:

- (1) grant to the individual a high school diploma that states the individual earned the high school diploma at Vincennes University; and
- (2) provide the diploma to Vincennes University to award to the individual.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.

IC 21-43-7-6**Annual report to education roundtable**

Sec. 6. If Vincennes University establishes a program, Vincennes University shall report annually to the education roundtable established under IC 20-19-4 the number of program participants and diplomas granted.

As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.284.